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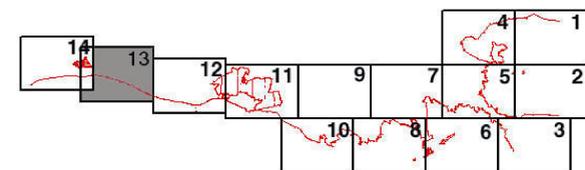
Molluscan Shellfish Program

Refrigeration Requirements for Shellstock Harvested for Raw Consumption

Basin Descriptions

Barataria Basin - Mississippi River west to Bayou Lafourche
Pontchartrain Basin - Mississippi state line to the Mississippi River
Terrebonne Basin - Bayou Lafourche to the Atchafalaya River
Vermilion Basin - Growing waters south to the South West Pass and Marsh Island to defined federal waters and from Pt. Chevret to Freshwater Bayou Canal

| | Barataria | Pontchartrain | Terrebonne | Vermilion |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| 14 Hours | April | April/Oct | April/Oct | April/Oct |
| 12 Hours | May/Jun/Oc/Se | May-Jun/Se | May-Jun/Se | May-Jun/Se |
| 10 Hours | Jul/Aug | Jul/Aug | Jul/Aug | Jul/Aug |
| 24 Hours | Nov | Nov | Nov | Nov |
| 36 Hours | De/Ja/Fe/Mar | De/Ja/Fe/Mar | De/Ja/Fe/Mar | De/Ja/Fe/Mar |



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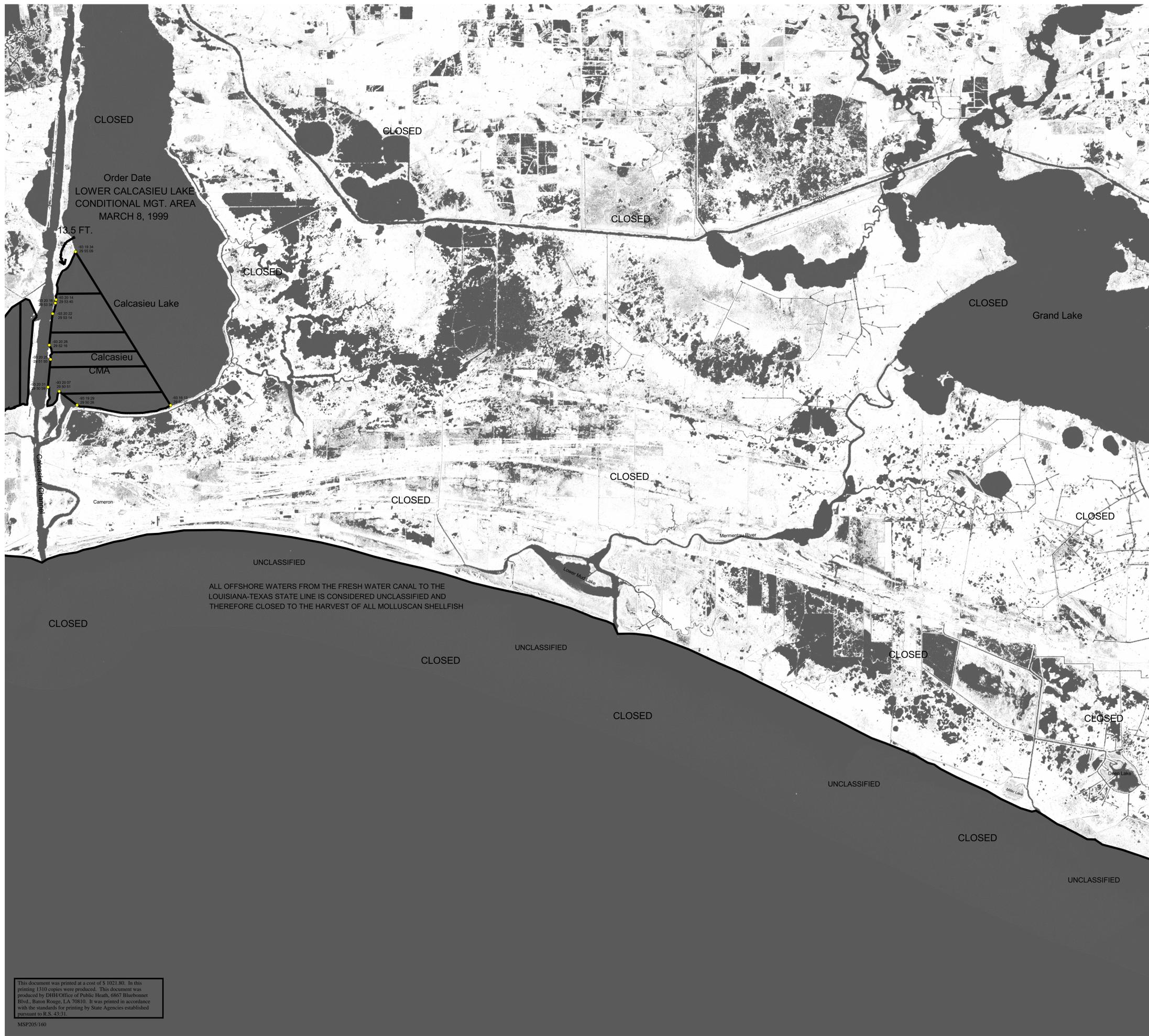
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50 yard radius closure from point of waste discharge exists for all man-made habitable structures.

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If you see someone taking oysters from a closed area please call Louisiana Department of Wildlife & Fisheries (LDWF) 1-800-442-2511. For questions concerning the closures call 1-800-256-2775.

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